

# H. R. 400.

REPORTED BY THE COMMITTEE OF WAYS AND MEANS.

JANUARY 27, 1827.

Read twice, and committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow

## A BILL

*For the relief of William Otis.*

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives*  
2   *of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That*  
3   the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, autho-  
4   rized to adjust and allow to William Otis, late Collector of  
5   the Port of Barnstable, such sums as the said Otis may have  
6   been compelled to pay out of his own funds, in consequence  
7   of any seizures made by him, under the direction of the Trea-  
8   sury Department, during the operation of the Non-intercourse  
9   and Embargo Laws ; and, that the amount be paid out of  
10  any money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated.